

Topic Categories on Abstract Submission Form

Vancouver	Maui	Monaco
Acoustics and Communication	Acoustics and Communication	Acoustics
Anatomy	Anatomy	
Behavior	Behavior	Behavior
Conservation and Management	Conservation and Management	Conservation and Management
Ecology	Ecology	Ecology
		Genetics and Evolution
		Life History (Reproduction)
Immunology and Toxicology	Immunology and Toxicology	
Marine Mammal Law	Marine Mammal Law	
Mating Strategies and Reproduction	Mating Strategies and Reproduction	
Medicine/Disease	Medicine	Medicine/Disease
Microbiology	Microbiology	
		Natural History
New Technology	New Technology	New Techniques
Physiology	Physiology	Physiology/Anatomy
Population and Distribution	Population and Distribution	
Psychophysics and Cognition	Psychophysics and Cognition	
Strandings	Strandings	
		Surveys
Systematics and Evolution	Systematics and Evolution	
Other (specify)		Other

Distribution of Abstracts by Category*

	Vancouver		Monaco
Category	# of Abstracts		# of Abstracts**
Acoustics & Communication	98		57
Behavior	128		90
Conservation	200		
Conservation/Management			94
Management and Law	3		
Ecology	163		99
Husbandry	2		
Immunology	53		
Life History			21
Mating Strategy	35		
Medicine	46		
Medicine/Disease/Pollution			51
Toxicology & Microbiology	3		
Molecular Biology & Evolution	26		
Genetics/Evolution/Systematics			36
Natural History			22
New Technology	42		26
Anatomy	28		
Physiology	67		
Physiology/Anatomy			45
Population and Distribution	168		
Psychophysics & Cognition	18		
Strandings	40		
Surveys			30
Other	32		11
(subcategories below determined from abstract titles for the purpose of the summary only)		(alternative categories:)	
Feeding (diet/predation)		Ecology	
Vocalization		Acoustics	
Tracking/GIS		Distribution	
Morphology		Anatomy	
Genetics (isotopes, fatty acids)		Molecular biology	
Fishery Interactions		Popul biology	
Whale Watching		Management	
Total	1152		582

* not readily available from Maui

** actual total 585, 3 were omitted from this list because they hadn't yet been assigned

Titles of papers submitted under the "Other" category in Vancouver

Observation, estimation and evaluation of pinniped predation on adult salmonids at the three river systems in Oregon.
Use of Scat Analysis to Estimate Salmonid Consumption by Harbor Seals in the Columbia River
ESTIMATING MARINE MAMMAL DIETS USING QUANTITATIVE FATTY ACID SIGNATURE ANALYSIS (QFASA)
An Assessment of Pinniped Predation upon Adult Salmonids in the Klamath River Estuary, CA.
Comparison of processing pinniped scats using nested sieves versus a washing machine
A comparison of split-frequency of occurrence and surface predation observation techniques for estimating harbor seal consumption of salmonids in Hood Canal, Washington
Standardized fecal analysis techniques used to evaluate salmonid consumption by pinnipeds
External Morphology of Risso's Dolphin off the Pacific Coast of Japan
PHYLOGEOGRAPHIC STRUCTURE AND KIN ASSOCIATIONS OF STRIPED DOLPHINS (<i>Stenella coeruleoalba</i>) IN THE MEDITERRANEAN SEA.
CONSISTENT MOTOR LATERALITY IN CALIFORNIA SEA LIONS
BIOCHEMICAL CHANGES IN LOCOMOTOR MUSCLE OF HARBOR PORPOISE, <i>PHOCOENA PHOCOENA</i> , DURING STARVATION
Inter-annual variations in blubber fatty acid profiles of grey seals <i>Halichoerus grypus</i> from 2 breeding colonies
Social structure of a population of humpback whales wintering in Antongil Bay, Madagascar, based on genetic markers.
Fatty Acids as Indicators of Predator – Prey Relationships in Marine Ecosystems.
Variability associated with stable isotope values and their use to infer trophic relationships and diet composition
Displacement of <i>Orcinus orca</i> (L.) by high amplitude sound in B.C. Canada
THE VOCAL MONOTONY OF MONOGAMY
Dolphin Vocal Communication: Comparisons with Other Species
Alternatives for characterizing statewide boat-strike manatee mortality using a
Geographic Information System
MODELING AND MAPPING TROPHIC OVERLAP BETWEEN MARINE MAMMALS AND FISHERIES IN THE NORTH ATLANTIC: IMPLICATIONS FOR FISHERIES MANAGEMENT
SATELLITE TRACKING OF A JAWLESS CALIFORNIA SEA LION (<i>Zalophus californianus californicus</i>) TO STUDY FEEDING HABIT ADAPTATIONS
THE IMPACTS OF WHALE-WATCHING ON THE ECONOMY OF RURAL WEST SCOTLAND
WHALE-WATCHING TOURISTS IN WEST SCOTLAND
Review of pinniped-fishery interactions along the west coast of North America.
RELATION OF THE MARINE MAMMALS WITH THE PREHISTORIC CULTURES IN THE ISLAND "LA PLATA", ECUADOR
Accuracy of Sighting Distances to Marine Mammals at Sea
FIRST REPORT ON SIGHTINGS OF A WHITE BLUE WHALE
Ethics and marine mammal research: where and how do we draw the line?
WhaleNet - Interactive Education
Marine Species Database: A NEPA Tool
ADOPTION AND GROWTH OF A CAPTIVE AMAZONIAN MANATEE (<i>Trichechus inunguis</i>) CALF